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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Ken UTAGAWA

Application No.: 09/592,285

Docket No.: 106477

Filed: June 12, 2000

For: METHOD FOR PROCESSING IMAGE, RECORDING MEDIUM FOR STORING  
IMAGE PROCESSING PROGRAM AND IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS

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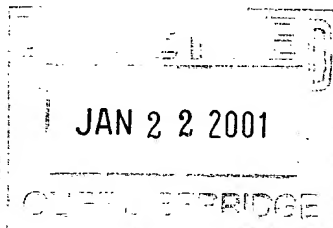
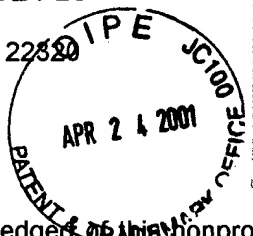
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METHOD FOR PROCESSING IMAGE, RECORDING MEDIUM STORING IMAGE  
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